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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)
(Large Entity)**Docket No.
0EKM-108414In Re Application Of: **Martin Newman et al.**

Application No. 30764	Filing Date November 25, 2003	Examiner Michael S. Chambers	Customer No. 30764	Group Art Unit 30764	Confirmation No. 7981
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Invention:

GOLF CLUB STRIKING FACE AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURECOMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

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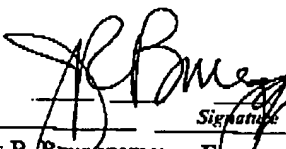
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RESPONSE

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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed January 25, 2006. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.